

parole, able to get out on parole at some point before they've even...or could be out on parole before they've even had any type of treatment simply because we have not, in the Legislature, funded the amount of money necessary for the proper treatment and assessment of these particular crimes.

SPEAKER BAACK: One minute.

SENATOR BERNARD-STEVENS: I think the body needs to keep these things, the whole picture, firmly in mind rather than concentrating on one particular part, saying, yes, this is a terrible crime, we should do this. Are we, in fact, creating more problems at the other end by doing so? And I hope the members of the body kind of keep that all in mind when they vote this particular bill through the process. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Bernard-Stevens. Is there any other discussion on LB 23? Seeing none, Senator Abboud, do you wish to close?

SENATOR ABOUD: Mr. President, I move to advance LB 23.

SPEAKER BAACK: You've heard the motion. All those in favor of advancement of LB 23 vote aye, opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 23.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 23 is advanced. We will now proceed to LB 95.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 95 was a bill introduced by Senator Landis. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 10 of this year, referred to Judiciary, advanced to General File. I have no amendments pending at this time, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, this measure was recently reported out unanimously by the Judiciary Committee and I'm grateful to the chairman. I thought he did a good piece of scheduling this year by putting early on bills that had been previously before his committee that had been reported out unanimously and just simply the clock had run out